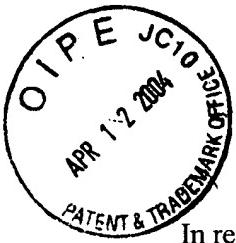


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In re application of: ) Attorney Docket No.: VULCP004  
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 SNIBBE et al. ) Examiner: Ting Zhou  
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 Application No.: 09/828,491 ) Group Art Unit: 2173  
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 Filed: April 4, 2001 ) Date: April 2, 2004  
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 For: SYSTEM AND METHODS FOR )  
 COLLABORATIVE DIGITAL MEDIA )  
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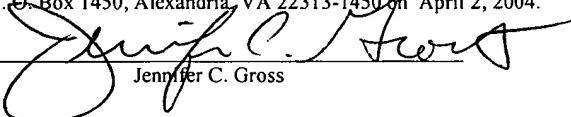
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

## Claims

Remaining	Highest
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Present	
<u>Extra</u>	

SMALL ENTITY	
<u>RATE FEE</u>	<u>OR</u>

LARGE ENTITY	
<u>RATE FEE</u>	

## TOTAL

CLAIMS	<u>29</u>	-	<u>29</u>	<u>0</u>	X9 = \$	OR	X18 = \$
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[ ] Multiple Dependent Claim Present \$140 \$280  
 and Fee Not Previously Paid

TOTAL	\$ _____	\$ 0
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- Applicant(s) hereby petition for two (2) month(s) extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action.
- Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that

such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0685. (VULCP004).

- Enclosed is our Check No. 1225 in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- Enclosed is Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form, PTOL-413A.
- Enclosed are two (2) sheets replacement drawings.
- Other: Power of Attorney and Revocation of Previous Powers, a copy of the Notice of Recordation of Assignment Document, Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet, and the Assignment.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0685 (        ) in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
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Respectfully submitted,  
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## Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09 / 828,491 First Named Applicant: Snibbe et al.  
 Examiner: Ting Zhou Art Unit: 2173 Status of Application: Pending

**Tentative Participants:**

- (1) Examiner Zhou (2) Scott Kokka of Van Pelt & Yi LLP  
 (3) Examiner John Cabeca (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: 03/30/2004Proposed Time: 10:00 am (EST) (AM/PM)**RECEIVED**

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**Type of Interview Requested:**

- (1) [ ] Telephonic (2) [ ] Personal (3) [ ] Video Conference

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Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: [ ] YES [x] NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

**Issues To Be Discussed**

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>1-29</u>	<u>per 11/10/2003 Off. Action</u>	[X]	[ ]	[ ]
(2) _____	_____	_____	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
(3) _____	_____	_____	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
(4) _____	_____	_____	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

[ ] Continuation Sheet Attached

**Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:**

Please refer to the Draft Proposed Amendments attached to this Form.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on MARCH 30, 2004.**NOTE:**

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.133. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 21 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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